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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8732

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AMCONSUL FRANKFURT

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ACOM OGEN

SUBJECT: FPO AT NICOSIA

REF: NICOSIA 977, 1007, 1215, AND STATE 111173, 136304, AND
141777 (NOTAL)

1. REQUEST EUR/EX, (AND PERHAPS NEA/EX) BRIEF OC ON STATUS OF
FPO AND NAVAL PERSONNEL AT THIS POST ASSUMING OC IS ORIGINATOR
OF REFERENCED STATE MESSAGES. PARA 1 OF STATE 141777 STATES
QUOTE DEPT UNAWARE NON-EXISTENCE NAVY PERSONNEL ON CYPRUS,
NEVERTHELESS, DISCUSSIONS HERE INDICATE A WILLINGNESS ON THE
PART OF NAVY TO CONTINUE MILITARY POST OFFICE (MPO) SERVICES
BOTH DIRECTIONS TO DAO CYPRUS UNQUOTE.

2. THE REFERENCED EXCHANGE OF MESSAGES STARTED WITH NICOSIA
977 REQUESTING GUIDANCE ON SHIPMENT OF OUTGOING UNCLASSIFIED
POUCHES SINCE THE FINAL MAC FLIGHT FROM NICOSIA WAS JUNE 12TH.
IT WOULD HAVE APPEARED THAT POSSIBILITY EXISTED FOR POST
FORWARDING OUTGOING UNCLASSIFIED POUCHES TO ATHENS FOR INCLUSION
IN MPO SYSTEM FROM ATHENS TO WASHINGTON. SINCE THE POST NOW HAS
NO WAY OF SENDING OUTGOING FPO TRAFFIC, POST HAS BEEN USING
COMMERCIAL AIR FOR UNCLASSIFIED POUCHES SINCE LAST MAC FLIGHT.

3. UNDATED (RECEIVED MAY 20) HEADQUARTERS USMC LETTER (FILE
CODE MSPO) TO DATT NICOSIA STATES IN PART QUOTE EFFECTIVE JUNE
12, 1974 FPO 09530 WILL BE ESTABLISHED AS MAILING ADDRESS
ONLY (MAO). THIS MAILING ADDRESS ONLY WILL PROVIDE RECEIPT
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OF INCOMING MAIL FOR THOSE PERSONNEL PREVIOUSLY SERVED BY

FPO 09531 AND THOSE PERSONNEL REQUESTED....UNQUOTE. LETTER
SIGNED BY C.R. WATERS OF MSPO. WATERS HAS BEEN WASHINGTON
COORDINATOR FOR REVISION OF POST FPO STATUS. HIS SPEEDLETTER
DATED 8 MARCH 1974 STATES QUOTE IT IS REGRETTED HOWEVER THAT
THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A MAILING ADDRESS WILL PROVIDE FOR THE
RECEIPT OF
NCOMING MAIL ONLY, UNQUOTE.

4. POST APPRECIATES OC'S EFFORTS TO CONTINUE OUTGOING FPO AND
WOULD BE DELIGHTED IF ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE FOR OUTGOING
POUCH AND PERSONAL MAIL. HOWEVER, DAO AND OTHERS INVOLVED HAVE
NOT BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN ARRANGING FOR FULL SERVICE FPO. UNDERSTAND
FULL SERVICE FPO WOULD REQUIRE A MILITARY POSTAL CLERK WITH
REQUIRED POSTAL EFFECTS.
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